

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**  
**EXPEDITED PROSECUTION - GROUP ART UNIT 1795**

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re Application of:                   | ) |                        |
|   | : | Examiner: B. Raymond   |
| MASAHIKO KUBOTA ET AL.                  | ) |                        |
|   | : | Art Unit: 1795         |
| Application No.: 10/568341              | ) |                        |
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| Int'l Application No. PCT/JP2005/012270 | ) |                        |
|   | : | Confirmation No.: 3333 |
| Filed: June 27, 2005                    | ) |                        |
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| For: METHOD FOR                         | ) |                        |
| MANUFACTURING MINUTE                    | : |                        |
| STRUCTURE, METHOD FOR                   | ) |                        |
| MANUFACTURING LIQUID                    | : |                        |
| DISCHARGE HEAD, AND LIQUID              | ) |                        |
| DISCHARGE HEAD                          | : | October 29, 2010       |

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 30, 2010, please amend the above-captioned application as follows and consider the following remarks.